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Attn: Jerri Bunn,

Committee Secretary London Advisory Committee on Heritage [LACH], 300 Dufferin Avenue, P.O. Box 5035 London, ON, N6A 4L9

Dear Ms. Bunn,

Reference: Notice of Study Commencement

Clarke Road Widening from VMP Extension to Fanshawe Park Road

East, City of London

Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Study

The City of London is undertaking a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (EA) to identify transportation improvements to the Clarke Road corridor between the Veterans Memorial Parkway (VMP) Extension (currently under detailed design) and Fanshawe Park Road East, in the City of London.

The study is being undertaken in accordance with the requirements for Schedule 'C' projects within the Municipal Class EA document (2000, as amended in 2015), under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act. The enclosed Notice of Study Commencement provides a key plan and additional details for your reference.

The purpose of this letter is to introduce the project, to seek your input on the existing conditions within the study area, and to identify any issues or concerns that you may have.

We respectfully request that you complete and return the enclosed form by July 28, 2017 so that your comments may be considered early in the Class EA process.

Design with community in mind



Reference: Notice of Study Commencement Clarke Road Municipal Class EA

If you have any questions regarding the project, please contact either the undersigned or one of the individuals named in the enclosed material.

Sincerely,

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Attachments: Notice of Study Commencement, Comment Form

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MUNICIPAL CLASS ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT STUDY Clarke Road Widening from VMP Extension to Fanshawe Park Road East City of London

COMMENT FORM - PLEASE RETURN BY FRIDAY, JULY 28, 2017

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NOTICE OF STUDY COMMENCEMENT





Veterans Memorial Parkway Extension to Fanshawe Park Road East Municipal Class Environmental Assessment

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Assessment Act.

Why are we studying Clarke Road?

The 2030 Transportation Master Plan and the 2014 Development Charges Background Study identified the widening of Clarke Road (from two (2) to four (4) lanes with consideration given to the ultimate build-out of six (6) lanes) as a priority project to address future traffic volumes associated with background development and improvements to the VMP.

What will be included in the Class EA Study?

- Inventories of the existing natural, socioeconomic, and cultural environments;
- Public, agency, and Indigenous community consultation;
- Analysis of existing and future travel demands and the development of alternative solutions;
- Coordination with the on-going VMP extension from Huron Street to Clarke Road;
 and
- Identification of a recommended design, including environmental protection and mitigation.

Your comments and questions are encouraged throughout the study. The first of two (2) Public

Information Centres (PICs) will be held in fall 2017 to present the problems and opportunities, existing environmental conditions, and alternative solutions. Notification of the date, time, and location for PICs will be provided closer to the date.

To learn more, visit the project website: http://www.london.ca/residents/Environment/EAs/Pages/Clarke-Road-Improvements.aspx

To be added to the study mailing list or provide comment, please contact a member of the study team below:

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Personal information collected on this subject is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act, 2011 and will be used by members of Council and City of London staff in their review of this matter. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record and will be released, if requested, to any person. Comments and information received will be maintained on file for use during the project and may be included in project documentation.